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Sir:

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For: METHOD OF POST PROCESSING OCR INFORMATION. OBTAINED FROM MAILPIECES USING A CUSTOMER SPECIFIC KEYWORD DATABASEAND A MIAILPIECE SORTING APPARATUS

Enclosed are:

16 pages comprising the specification, claims, ad abstrac t.

8 sheets of drawings.

A Declaration and Power of Attorney.

An Information Disclosure Statement and PTO-149 Form viith copy of each reference cited.

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In accordance with the provisions of 37 CFR 1.10, I hereby certify that the attached Patent Application including 16 pages and 8 sheets of drawings, Transmittal Letter [original + 1], Return Receipt Postcard, Declaration and Power of Attorney, Recordation of Assignment with attached copy of executed Assignment [original + 1], Information Disclosure Statement with copy of each reference cited were deposited with the U.S. Postal Service for delivery by Express Mail on November 7, 2001. The number of the Express Mail mailing label is EK794131324US.

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